

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the sentence that starts on the specification page 3, at line 24 and runs over to line 28, the line starting with "The relatively new..." with the following replacement sentence:

--The relatively new connection architecture, identified as ~~CompactPCI~~ COMPACTPCI, a registered trademark of ~~PICMG~~ PCI Industrial computers manufacturers Group (hereinafter referred to as cPCI), improved the peripheral board-to-backplane impedance match, thereby reducing unwanted reflections at that interface.--